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See this boy? This adorable lil thing? We can't bring him to you without more people. Help him. Help yourself.

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CHAPTER TWO

SIT ANYWHERE YOU'D LIKE.

clunk

...

Haha.

YOU CAN RELAX A BIT MORE.

WELL, YOU SAAAID~

THAT YOUR PARENTS ARE WORKING TODAY.

I BOUGHT SOME UNDER-WEAR AT THE CONVENIENCE STORE,

AND TEXTED MY MOM TO LET HER KNOW, THOUGH I DON'T KNOW IF SHE SAW THE TEXT.

And besides,

TODAY'S FRIDAY.

clatter

clatter

Anyways,

HERE'S SOME BARLEY TEA.

YOU SHOULD REPLENISH THE FLUIDS YOU LOST.

...

...You're the one who suddenly brought me here.

I SEE YOU'RE STILL A BUSYBODY...

Hey, hey, Kiku-chan.

I CAN'T VERY WELL LEAVE YOU ALONE

FOR TWO DAYS.

You're so scrawny, Kiku-chan.

What did you buy at the convenience store?

Do you want me to punish them?

What's busybody mean?

Can I have some of yours?

I'm thirsty too~

Did you cry? Did someone bully you?

HERE'S SOMETHING TO COOL YOU DOWN.

GEEZ...

pat

MIKU, MIKI, DON'T MAKE A PASS AT HIM.

giggle

Miku, you know that's an indirect kiss!

Right?

It's okay 'cause Kiku-chan's cute~

GOING TO MAKE DINNER...?

YEAH.

IF YOU HAVE ANY REQUESTS, LET ME KNOW.

KURIHARA, IS THERE SOMETHING YOU CAN'T EAT?

ALSO, ANY FOODS YOU LIKE?

AH, YOU'RE

HMM~ YEAH, USUALLY.

MY PARENTS WORK TOO.

Not that I can make any fancy dishes!

What shall I cook~

...OH...

...DO YOU ALWAYS MAKE DINNER?

HEY, KURI-HARA.

...ARE YOU OKAY?

A few hours ago.

Welcome home!

S-Sorry... for intruding...

Welcome home!

WELCOME HOME~

My oh my oh my, welcome to our house!

Oh myyy~

I'm sorry it's such a mess!

Aaahhh~

Oh my gosh~!! He's really here!

It's totally fine~! Make yourself at home!

S-sorry for... coming over so... suddenly...

EXCITED

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The food's not enough, right? I bought cake. Are you okay with sweet things? Let's eat some later!

I was so surprised when I saw Shouya's text saying a friend was coming over!

EXCITED

YAY~

YAY~

YAY~

Kurihara-kun, are you eating enough?

Do you want seconds, Kiku-chan?

YAY~

Kiku-chan, you should eat tomatoes if you're feeling down!

Huh?

I'll give you mine too!

Stop being so picky!

YOU GUYS!

I'm tired...

thump

SIGHHHH

YOUR WHOLE FAMILY IS NOTHING BUT BUSY-BODIES...

STARE...

grumble

YOU'RE STILL GOING ON ABOUT THAT...

If I was at home, I'd be looking over my test.

grumble

It's too loud, there's no way I can do it here.

grumble

SORRY IT WAS SO NOISY.

WE DON'T GET VISITORS OFTEN.

roll

...EACH AND EVERY SINGLE ONE OF YOU...

snuggle

THERE WAS SO MUCH FOOD.

AND THEY GAVE ME THEIR TOMATOES.

Haa...

...BUT, SOMEHOW...

I FEEL COMFORTABLE HERE...

touch...

...SAY, KURIHARA.

Hm?

WHY IS BEING NO.1 SO IMPORTANT TO YOU?

HUH? WHY ARE YOU ASKING...?

stare

...I'm going to sleep!

...When I first got full marks

my parents were very happy...

laughs

AM I WRONG?

freeze

...YOU REALLY LOVE YOUR PARENTS, DON'T YOU?

...WHA-?

grab

NGH!

DON'T LAUGH!

THU-

MP

THIS IS WHY YOU PISS ME OFF!

HAH!?

YOU'RE SO ANNOYING!

SORRY, BUT I THINK I'LL REMEMBER THAT...

Ahaha.

FORGET ABOUT IT!

SHIT...

I SHOULDN'T HAVE SAID ANYTHING,

SHUT UP AND SLEEP. I HOPE YOU NEVER WAKE UP!

DON'T GET SO ANGRY.

Ahaha! How mean.

click

Well then,

GOOD NIGHT.

thud thud

Rustle

...

Heh.

Mama.

Isnt it amazng?

2-1

100

Look at this!

Mama, look!

You have so many full marks!

You're amazing, Kiku!

And it's not just one paper!

100

You're amazing...!

Let's tell dad about this!

You really, really studied

with all your might, didn't you~?

...RIGHT,

I'M AT HIS HOUSE.

Yay!

Ah~!!

Kiku-chan woke up! Good morning!

IT'S BECAUSE I TOLD HIM...

clack

OH, YOU'RE AWAKE.

I don't know who is who...

THEY'RE ALREADY SO ENERGETIC...

YAY!

Look at Miku's bed head!

Ahaha.

It's amazing!!

YAY!

Why!?

You don't have bed head!

The no.1 sleepyhead~!

That's good!

AH... I GUESS...

Did you sleep alright?

PERFECT TIMING.

Mornin'.

I WAS JUST ABOUT TO MAKE BREAKFAST.

Is bread okay?

Push

Push

DON'T TOUCH ME.

Alright then, go and wash your face.

Use whatever towel you'd like.

Hurry up and go! And afterwards...

breakfast

You can help me out~!

I DON'T EVEN EAT BREAKFAST, SO THIS IS GOOD ENOUGH...

WHAT!?

...I TOLD YOU I'M FINE WITH JUST WATCHING.

Kurihara... I guess you really can't cook at all.

munch

munch

I can't cut it...

The edges are burnt.

soft

shiny

LOOK AT THIS SPRINGI-NESS!

LOOK AT THIS SHINY HAIR!

fluffy

fluffy

YOU DON'T EAT BREAKFAST, KIKU-CHAN!?

CLATTER

I get it already, so...

Got it...

press

stare

Sorry... Those are my mother's teachings...

BREAK-FAST!!!!

MORNINGS ARE THE SOURCE OF HAPPINESS, YOU KNOW!?!?

NOT EATING

AND THAT'S ALL THANKS TO BREAK-FAST, YOU KNOW!?!?

Huh~?

ISN'T THAT TROUBLESOME?

creak

I'll get you some.

YOU NEED A CHANGE OF CLOTHES, RIGHT?

I ONLY NEED A SHIRT.

I'LL WEAR MY UNIFORM PANTS.

sigh

Thanks for the meal!

shuts

Phew.

WE CAN FINALLY TAKE A BREATHER~

Could it be

YOU HAVE SOMETHING ON AFTER THIS?

I CAN'T RELAX WHEN I'M AT SOMEONE ELSE'S HOUSE.

AHH, I SEE...

IT'S FINE.

I'LL BE GOING HOME AFTER I CHANGE.

Huh?

Uhm...

...I'LL GO AND BRUSH MY TEETH.

opens

?

Rustle

Here.

IS A T-SHIRT AND HOODIE OKAY?

I'M FINE WITH ANYTHING.

jolt

suddenly

UWAH!

GRABS

Squeeeze

...SORRY FOR THE TROUBLE...

Then, I'LL SEND YOU OFF.

You didn't leave anything behind, right?

Kiku-chan!

so you can win against those bullies now!

We gave you some of our energy.

We'll cast it for you again if it's not enough!

Here! It's a charm that makes you feel better!

Okay!

...MIKU AND MIKI,

THAT'S WHY YOU'LL BE FINE, 'KAY?

HEY, KURI-HARA,

...

they're worried about you because your eyes were swollen.

Ahaha!

Looks like there's some weird misunderstanding.

...

I GET THAT YOU WANT TO LIVE UP TO THEIR EXPECTATIONS,

BUT IT'S BAD IF YOU'RE SUFFERING BECAUSE OF IT, RIGHT?

I STILL THINK IT'S BETTER IF YOU TALK TO YOUR PARENTS.

ABOUT THINGS LIKE WHAT YOU WANT TO DO AND WHAT YOU'RE THINKING.

Just saying it should be easy, right?

PLUS, THERE'S A CHANCE THAT THINGS MIGHT SURPRISINGLY WORK OUT IF YOU JUST TRY SAYING IT, YOU KNOW?

OH,

GOT IT.
SEE YOU,
THEN!

I KNOW
THE WAY
BACK FROM
HERE.

RIGHT
HERE IS
FINE.

...

...KURI-
HARA!

WHAT
NOW...?

squeeze

YOU'LL
BE FINE!

ruffles

thump

grins

squeeze

I'M SURE EVERYTHING WILL TURN OUT ALRIGHT!

ruffles

YOU'LL BE FINE, OKAY?

blush

WHA-...

ruffles

ruffles

This charm works like magic, that's why~!

WHAT AN IRRITATING GUY...!

I'm not a kid...!!

STOMP

STOMP

Ah, by the way, I'm the one who invented this charm.

I taught them that.

smack

WHY DO I HAVE TO GET A CHARM FROM A GUY LIKE YOU!!?

Ouch.

Hey!

YOU SHOULD COME TO MY HOUSE FOR A MEAL AGAIN!

I'LL BE HAPPY IF YOU DO!

...BUSYBODY!

sigh...

...

"JUST TRY SAYING IT"...

silence

click

opens

slams

slumps

WOULD I BE ABLE TO SAY IT...?

THINGS LIKE WHAT I WANT TO DO...

THAT KINDA THING...

click

click

EVEN IF YOU SAY THAT IT'S BETTER TO SPEAK WITH THEM ABOUT IT,

WHAT I'M THINKING...

thud

step

shine

click

WAH!

JUMPS

jumps

...IT'S RARE FOR YOU TO BE SLEEPING OVER THERE...

click

thud

...WELCOME HOME. YOU'RE EARLY.

pours

AH, THAT'S RIGHT.

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN ASLEEP FOR? IT'S ALREADY EVENING.

I DO GET OFF EARLY ONCE IN A WHILE.

...

thump

thump

YOU GOT BACK YOUR RESULTS SLIP, RIGHT?

YOUR TEST.

thump

flip

"THAT'S WHY YOU'LL BE FINE, 'KAY?"

thump

WHAT I WANT TO DO...

THINGS LIKE...

thump

I CAN'T POSSIBLY...

...

thump

...MOM.

...I DIDN'T GET FIRST PLACE THIS TIME EITHER.

"YOU'LL BE FINE!"

I'LL BE FINE...

Squeeze

THE REASON I STARTED STUDYING HARD,

WASN'T BECAUSE I WANTED TO GET INTO A GOOD COMPANY OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT.

BUT...

I WON'T BE INCREASING MY STUDY HOURS ANYMORE.

I'm sorry for not meeting your expectations.

...It was because you looked happy, so...

THAT'S...

...YOUR FATHER, TOO...

turns

HE USED TO ASK ME IF I WAS...

PUSHING YOU TOO HARD TO STUDY...

...I'M SORRY.

EVEN THOUGH I'D ALWAYS REPLY THAT YOU'VE ALWAYS WORKED HARD WITHOUT COMPLAINING,

IT LOOKS LIKE I'VE SAID TOO MUCH...

YEAH...

not exactly my friend... More like...

Huh? Ah,

...THAT HOODIE, IS IT YOUR FRIEND'S?

WHEN YOU SUDDENLY MESSAGED ME ABOUT SPENDING THE NIGHT OUT.

I WAS SURPRISED

YOU SHOULD

GIVE THEM THANK-YOU GIFTS NEXT TIME YOU SEE THEM.

thud

...

IT WAS EASIER THAN I EXPECTED...

thud

...

Pfft.

Haha.

...OR RATHER,

THE CHARM ACTUALLY WORKED...

ding dong

Where for lunch?

The vending machine~

Hey, were your parents okay with it?

Staying at my house so suddenly and all...

step

...Going to the library again?

step

step

Hey~!

ignored

step

WAI-HEY!

IGNORING ME?

-E?

KURIHARA, YOU THER-...

slide

...? THE COURT-YARD...?

I was so sure you'd be going to the library...

rustle

HUH?

I'M RETURNING THIS.

munch

munch

Ahh, the hoodie.

Thanks for bringing it all the way...

HERE...

...

munch

Huh!?

What!? Are you eating properly again because the test is over!?

munch

munch

Calorie Friend

YOU'RE NOT EATING CALORIE FRIEND TODAY!

!!!

JUMP

What's this all of a sudden...

ALSO, THOSE TWINS,

WHAT DO THEY LIKE?

OR BELL PEPPERS.

OR TUR-NIPS.

?

NOT FISH EITHER, THE BONES ARE ANNOYING TO PICK.

?

I DON'T REALLY LIKE

CUCUMBERS.

HAH?

...

Is that so~?

I WANNA DO SOMETHING FOR THEM

AS THANKS FOR THE CHARM.

!

Instead of what you hate to eat,

you should tell me what you like instead~

...

HOT TOFU.

Ah... I can sort of tell.

HUH?

Ahaha!

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